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Case No. 7103-261 (P0704)

Serial No. 09/843,323	Filing Date April 25, 2001	Examiner TBD	Group Art Unit TBD
Inventor(s) Allan M. Radman			
Title of Invention SPHERICAL CAP-SHAPED POLISHING HEAD IN A CHEMICAL MECHANICAL POLISHING APPARATUS FOR SEMICONDUCTOR WAFERS			

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Transmitted herewith is Preliminary Amendment (2p); Transmittal Ltr. (1p); in dupl; Return PostCard.

- Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.
- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- Petition for a _____ month extension of time.
- No additional fee is required.
- The fee has been calculated as shown below:

					Small Entity		Other Than Small Entity	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Add'l Fee	Rate	Add'l Fee
Total		Minus			x \$9 =		x \$18 =	
Indep.		Minus			x 39 =		x \$78 =	
First Presentation of Multiple Dep. Claim					+ \$130 =		+ \$260 =	
					Total add'l fee	\$	total add'l fee	\$

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- A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed.
- The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- I hereby petition under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) for any extension of time required to ensure that this paper is timely filed. Please charge any associated fees which have not otherwise been paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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